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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: Puerto Rico

Requirements for Third Party Liability -  
Payment of Claims

Puerto Rico has established methods through which provides have to screen first for TPL payments where third party liability is known to exist, prior to submitting claims to Medicaid.

In the scarce cases where Medicaid has to seek third party reimbursement, input will be accepted in any amount offered.

In determining pursue of recovery for the Medicaid Program, the following threshold figures are used:

Source of recovery	Amount
( a ) Insurance such as:	
1. Blue Cross	\$500
2. Triple S	\$500
3. Other Health Insurance	\$500
4. Tort Liability	\$500

Recovery in cases which fall below these figures will not be sought because pursuit of reimbursement has proven not to be cost effective.

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